CHRISTIAN LIFE READING LIST (DIGITAL BOOKS/ ENGLISH AND SPANISH SELECTIONS)

Requested Book List: Digital Format CHRISTIAN LIFE on 08/24/2012

ENGLISH FICTION

DARK DIVINE

Author: DESPAIN, BREE, 1979-

S/P/V: Some violence

Reading level: Young Adult Series: DARK DIVINE 1

DB 71232

Narrator: TREVATHAN, MARE 1 cartridge in 1 container

Grace Divine, almost seventeen, learns a dark secret when her childhood friend Daniel returns and upsets her pastor-father and her brother Jude. Around the same time, the rumor of the Markham Street Monster besieges their small Minnesota community. Some violence. For junior and senior high readers. 2010.

FRONTIER LADY: LONE STAR LEGACY, VOLUME 1

Author: PELLA, JUDITH

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: LONE STAR LEGACY 1

DB 41788

Narrator: BUZZARD, MADELYN 1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 41788

Narrator: BUZZARD, MADELYN 1 cartridge in 1 container

Deborah grows up in Virginia, but the Civil War takes a toll on her

family and friends, and so she joins the Stoners, distant relatives, in Texas. She is supposed to marry Leonard Stoner, a young man set to inherit a fortune. Deborah ignores the warnings of her friends who advise her to flee Texas at her first chance, and now she stands accused of murder. Prequel to "Stoner's Crossing" (RC 41789).

GEORGES AND THE JEWELS

Author: SMILEY, JANE

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Grades 5 - 8

DB 70884

Narrator: TREVATHAN, MARE 1 cartridge in 1 container

California, 1960s. Seventh-grader Abby trains horses on her family's ranch. To avoid attachment before they are sold, her father names all the geldings George and all the mares Jewel. Abby's patience helps her with ornery horses, her strict religious father, and a false accusation at school. For grades 5-8. 2009.

IN TUNE WITH WEDDING BELLS: A NOVEL OF ENDURING ROMANCE

Author: HILL, GRACE LIVINGSTON

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DX 36841

Narrator: SCHRICHTE, LYNN 1 cartridge in 1 container

Reuben Remington is about to embark on a month-long vacation when coworker Gillian Guthrie faints at her desk and needs to be taken to the hospital. But she will not go until she knows someone will take care of Noel, her five-year-old brother. Having no specific holiday plans, Reuben volunteers. Attracted to Noel's religious beliefs, Reuben soon finds faith in God is important in his life, as are Gillian and Noel. 1941.

PILGRIM'S PROGRESS FROM THIS WORLD TO THAT WHICH IS TO COME AND

GRACE

Author: BUNYAN, JOHN

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DX 59950

Narrator: SCHERER, MICHAEL 1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Abounding to the Chief of Sinners"
Two classic works by English Puritan John Bunyan (1628-1688). In the allegorical tale Pilgrim's Progress, the protagonist, burdened by sin, leaves the City of Destruction to find Zion, the city of God. His journey embodies Christian teachings. In Grace Abounding, Bunyan recounts his conversion and spiritual growth. 2004.

SHEPHERDS ABIDING: THE MITFORD YEARS, VOLUME 8

Author: KARON, JAN

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult Series: MITFORD 8

DB 57174

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY
1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 57174

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY
1 cartridge in 1 container

This sequel to In This Mountain (RC 54446, BR 14211) centers on Reverend Kavanagh's restoration of an old creche. He transforms himself as he renews the decrepit set and as he interacts with the community: Hope at the bookstore, Andrew at the antiques shop, and the owners of the Main Street Grill. Bestseller. 2003.

ENGLISH NON-FICTION

BATTLEFIELD OF THE MIND: WINNING THE BATTLE IN YOUR MIND

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 65323

Narrator: LENTZ, PAT

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 65323

Narrator: LENTZ, PAT

1 cartridge in 1 container

Minister and author of How to Hear from God (RC 58704) offers advice on recognizing and overcoming negative thoughts to find inner peace. Uses scripture and her personal experiences to illustrate her beliefs. Defines ten "wilderness mentalities" that she says represent the counterproductive attitudes keeping people from God. Commercial audiobook. 1995.

BECOME A BETTER YOU: SEVEN KEYS TO IMPROVING YOUR LIFE EVERY DAY

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 65690

Narrator: WALLACE, BILL 1 cartridge in 1 container

Pastor of Houston's Lakewood Church and author of Your Best Life Now (RC 59330, BR 16228) offers advice on applying biblical principles to make positive changes in one's life. Advocates becoming more self-confident and developing better relationships and habits.

Includes examples of transformation from his ministry. Bestseller. 2007.

BOY WHO CAME BACK FROM HEAVEN

Author: MALARKEY, KEVIN

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73849

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY
1 cartridge in 1 container

Title continues: "A remarkable account of miracles, angels, and life beyond this world." Father recounts the 2004 car accident that injured him and left his six-year-old son Alex in a coma. Alex describes waking two months later and discovering that some of his spinal injuries had healed without medical intervention--and believing that he had entered heaven and met Jesus. Bestseller. 2010.

BRINGING UP GIRLS

Author: DOBSON, JAMES C.

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 71281

Narrator: WALLACE, BILL
1 cartridge in 1 container

The author of Bringing Up Boys (DB/RC 55094) offers advice on raising daughters using the foundation of biblical principles. Discusses the roles of fathers and mothers, issues that arise in puberty and adolescence, the influence of bullies and friends, and ways to navigate what he calls "cultural minefields." Bestseller. 2010.

CASE FOR GOD

Author: ARMSTRONG, KAREN

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 70471

Narrator: WAUTERS, ANNIE 1 cartridge in 1 container

Former nun and author of The Great Transformation (RC 61336) and A History of God (RC 38536) chronicles religious thought through the ages, examining humankind's concepts of God. Posits that faith is a practical discipline that helps us live with realities for which there are no easy explanations. 2009.

COME THIRSTY

Author: LUCADO, MAX

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 60272

Narrator: MOORE, BOB
1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 60272

Narrator: MOORE, BOB
1 cartridge in 1 container

Minister and author of numerous books on religious topics offers his program for hydrating your soul. The plan describes four essential actions: accept God's work, rely on God's energy, trust God's leadership, and receive God's love. Includes a reader's guide with related Bible passages and questions for discussion groups. 2004.

CONFIDENT WOMAN: START TODAY LIVING BOLDLY AND WITHOUT FEAR

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 63471

Narrator: HANCOCK, ANNE 1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 63471

Narrator: HANCOCK, ANNE 1 cartridge in 1 container

A Christian minister, the author of Look Great, Feel Great (RC 62579), encourages women to overcome their inner fears and live confident lives. Meyer interprets the Bible's view of women in ministry, highlights the characteristics of confident women, and proposes steps to independence. Bestseller. 2006.

COUNTERFEIT GODS: THE EMPTY PROMISES OF MONEY, SEX, AND POWER, AND

THE

Author: KELLER, TIMOTHY

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 70087

Narrator: PARKS, TOM

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Only Hope That Matters"
Presbyterian pastor and author of The Reason for God (RC 66151)
cautions against striving for money and other material goods. Suggests
that people become wary of the seduction of success and power and
preaches that only God can satisfy one's needs. Commercial audiobook.
2009.

CRAZY LOVE: OVERWHELMED BY A RELENTLESS GOD

Author: CHAN, FRANCIS

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 72126

Narrator: THOMPSON, JULIAN

1 cartridge in 1 container

Pastor uses scripture to encourage Christians to take the Bible seriously and love God unconditionally. Offers guidance on thinking "biblically rather than conventionally." Bestseller. 2008.

DAILY READINGS FROM YOUR BEST LIFE NOW: NINETY DEVOTIONS FOR LIVING

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 63057

Narrator: HAUENSTEIN, RICHARD

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 63057

Narrator: HAUENSTEIN, RICHARD

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "at Your Full Potential"

Christian pastor offers a devotional as a companion to his bestselling Your Best Life Now (RC 59330, BR 16228). Presents ninety days of motivational and inspirational messages and scripture intended to strengthen belief in God. 2005.

EAT THE COOKIE . . . BUY THE SHOES: GIVING YOURSELF PERMISSION TO

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73012

Narrator: FERRIS, JILL

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Lighten Up"

Author and Bible teacher Meyer posits that people need to break their routines and indulge occasionally to enjoy life as God intended,

instead of leading a strict, limited, and regimented lifestyle. Using scripture, Meyer argues that God ordained--and commanded--celebration. 2010.

EVERY DAY A FRIDAY: HOW TO BE HAPPIER SEVEN DAYS A WEEK

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73781

Narrator: WALLACE, BILL 1 cartridge in 1 container

Pastor Osteen discusses research showing that people are happiest on Fridays and suggests allowing joy to infuse every day by maintaining a positive outlook. Uses scripture and personal anecdotes to illustrate his principles for happiness. Bestseller. 2011.

EVOLUTION OF FAITH: HOW GOD IS CREATING A BETTER CHRISTIANITY

Author: GULLEY, PHILIP

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 74185

Narrator: WALLACE, BILL 1 cartridge in 1 container

Quaker pastor Gulley invites fellow Christians to consider their faith in a fresh way, informed by common sense, positive tradition, and personal experience. Reflects on the evolution of faith in his own life and in society. Discusses the concepts of suffering, evil, salvation, prayer, and the afterlife. 2011.

FEARLESS: IMAGINE YOUR LIFE WITHOUT FEAR

Author: LUCADO, MAX S/P/V: Heavy violence Reading level: Adult

DB 69793

Narrator: MOORE, BOB
1 cartridge in 1 container

Pastor's advice on replacing fear with faith. Addresses common concerns such as one's own insignificance, financial adversity, parenting, disappointing God, violence, death, and global calamity. Offers guidance through scripture in coping with daily struggles. Bestseller. 2009.

FORGOTTEN GOD: REVERSING OUR TRAGIC NEGLECT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Author: CHAN, FRANCIS

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73924

Narrator: GORTON, GREGORY
1 cartridge in 1 container

In a companion to Crazy Love (DB 72126), pastor Chan turns to the purpose and presence of the Holy Spirit. Uses anecdotes and scripture to show the ways Christians can recognize the Holy Spirit in their lives. Bestseller. 2009.

HEAVEN

Author: ALCORN, RANDY

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DX 60445

Narrator: FOX, JACK

1 cartridge in 1 container

Pastor, noted Christian speaker, and founder of a nonprofit ministry presents his vision of the afterlife based on biblical scripture.

Depicts heaven as a "new earth" free from suffering and filled with

God's presence. Theological discussions offer answers to questions about the realm's structure, atmosphere, daily happenings, and more. 2004.

HOW TO BE A CHRISTIAN IN A BRAVE NEW WORLD

Author: TADA, JONI EARECKSON

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 66581

Narrator: MCINERNEY, SUSAN 1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 66581

Narrator: MCINERNEY, SUSAN 1 cartridge in 1 container

Bioethics research professor Cameron and Tada, the quadriplegic founder of a Christian disability advocacy organization and author of When God Weeps (RC 49793), offer Christian perspectives on biotechnology issues. They discuss the moral and ethical debates surrounding cloning, genetic engineering, in vitro fertilization, stem-cell research, and other developments. 2006.

HOW TO HEAR FROM GOD: LEARN TO KNOW HIS VOICE AND MAKE RIGHT

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 58704

Narrator: GRAY, JANIS

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 58704

Narrator: GRAY, JANIS

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Decisions"

Bible teacher uses scripture and examples from her own ministry to explain how to develop sensitivity to God's communication through supernatural revelation, the "inner witness," and nature. Contends that rote religious activity, unforgiveness, and legalism can hinder the fulfillment of God's plan and suggests ways to protect against negativity. 2003.

IT HAPPENED IN CHURCH: STORIES OF HUMOR FROM THE PULPIT TO THE PEWS

Author: WEBSTER, PATTI S.

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 68825

Narrator: RODGERS, ELISABETH 1 cartridge in 1 container

African American advertising executive relates anecdotes about church life along with funny moments found in the Bible. Also recounts family incidents, children's interpretations of religious teachings, and amusing incidents reported by famous preachers Billy Graham and Robert Schuller. 2008.

IT'S NOT ABOUT ME: RESCUE FROM THE LIFE WE THOUGHT WOULD MAKE US

Author: LUCADO, MAX

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 60285

Narrator: SYNNESTVEDT, ERIK

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 60285

Narrator: SYNNESTVEDT, ERIK 1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Happy"

Minister and author of Just like Jesus (RC 48578) explains finding happiness by shifting from a self-centered to a "God-centered" life. Guides followers through the change by applying scripture lessons to career, love and family, and health and body issues. Foreword by former professional basketball player David Robinson. 2004.

IT'S YOUR TIME: ACTIVATE YOUR FAITH, ACHIEVE YOUR DREAMS, AND INCREASE

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 69979

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY
1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "in God's Favor"

Citing real-life examples and scripture, the pastor of the Lakewood Church in Houston and author of Become a Better You (RC 65690) and Your Best Life Now (RC 59330) offers inspirational advice on overcoming adversity. Bestseller. 2009.

JOURNEY: HOW TO LIVE BY FAITH IN AN UNCERTAIN WORLD

Author: GRAHAM, BILLY, 1918-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 61602

Narrator: MAYER, JOHN H. 1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 61602

Narrator: MAYER, JOHN H. 1 cartridge in 1 container

The Reverend Billy Graham explains his understanding of the meaning and purpose of God, Jesus, the Bible, and the Holy Spirit and their role in daily life. Describes ways to deal with challenges and temptations and offers practical advice on living joyously. 2006.

KNOWING GOD INTIMATELY: BEING AS CLOSE TO HIM AS YOU WANT TO BE

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 60294

Narrator: WISE, MARYBETH 1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 60294

Narrator: WISE, MARYBETH 1 cartridge in 1 container

Author and host of the radio and television program "Life in the Word" defines four levels of commitment for achieving intimacy with God: God's manifest presence, God's transforming power, God's reflective glory, and God's everlasting fruit. Meyer examines Old and New Testament parallels to these four levels of intimacy. 2003.

LED TO BELIEVE BY BILLY GRAHAM: INSPIRING WORDS FROM BILLY GRAHAM AND

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 72207

Narrator: WILHELM, EVA
1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Others on Living by Faith"

Preacher Billy Graham and his followers recall being born again and explain ways the experience changed their lives. Includes "Never Quit on a Boy" by a youth counselor and "The Day My Faith Meant Most to Me" by a blind Korean orphan. Epilogue by Anne Graham Lotz. 2007.

LETTERS AND PAPERS FROM PRISON Author: BONHOEFFER, DIETRICH

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73283

Narrator: TIPTON, GARY
1 cartridge in 1 container

The German theologian's correspondence with his family and friend (the book editor) during his incarceration by the Nazis from 1943 until his execution in 1945. A devout Christian's account of examining his conscience and beliefs while the Nazis were in power.

LIFE WITHOUT LIMITS: INSPIRATION FOR A RIDICULOUSLY GOOD LIFE

Author: VUJICIC, NICK

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 72475

Narrator: WILLIAMS, GUY
1 cartridge in 1 container

Motivational speaker uses himself as an example of the power of unconditional love and self-acceptance. He describes growing up without arms or legs and having self-pity turn into total enjoyment of life with the help of faith. Discusses the work he does worldwide. Includes his "ridiculous rules." 2010.

LIFETIME OF WISDOM: EMBRACING THE WAY GOD HEALS YOU

Author: TADA, JONI EARECKSON

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 68513

Narrator: FRIEDLANDER, MITZI 1 cartridge in 1 container

The founder of a Christian disability advocacy organization, herself

quadriplegic, uses biblical scripture to explain the contradictions between misfortune and God's goodness. Describes her response to her own teenage accident and her state of mind forty years later. Advocates living in the "now" and discusses reasons for suffering. 2009.

LIVING BEYOND YOUR FEELINGS: CONTROLLING EMOTIONS SO THEY DON'T

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73798

Narrator: FERRIS, JILL

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Control You"

Christian author warns against allowing emotions to rule your life. Uses scripture, psychological research, and her own experiences to explain ways to control your sentiments. Discusses common feelings, personality types, and the mind-body connection. Bestseller. 2011.

LOVE AS A WAY OF LIFE: SEVEN KEYS TO TRANSFORMING EVERY ASPECT OF YOUR

Author: CHAPMAN, GARY

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 68675

Narrator: MOORE, BOB
1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Life"

Minister, marriage counselor, and author of The Five Love Languages (RC 64174), writer Chapman suggests seven traits--kindness, patience, forgiveness, courtesy, humility, generosity, and honesty--form the foundation for loving, compassionate relationships. Offers case studies, questionnaires, and exercises to help readers overcome challenges and develop these characteristics. 2008.

LOVE YOUR LIFE: LIVING HAPPY, HEALTHY, AND WHOLE

Author: OSTEEN, VICTORIA

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 67932

Narrator: CAVALLERO, GABRIELLA

1 cartridge in 1 container

Copastor of Houston's Lakewood Church offers a spiritual guide to coping with the modern world. Uses examples from her parishioners' lives and her personal experiences to suggest ways of finding strength in God. 2008.

MAN CALLED PETER: THE STORY OF PETER MARSHALL

Author: MARSHALL, CATHERINE WOOD

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 57404

Narrator: STROM, MARGARET 1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 57404

Narrator: STROM, MARGARET 1 cartridge in 1 container

Widow writes the biography of her husband, a poor Scottish immigrant who became the senior minister at New York Avenue Presbyterian Church in the nation's capital and chaplain of the United States Senate. RC 57404 is a fiftieth anniversary edition. It includes additional selections of his prayers and sermons and a foreword by Marshall's son. 2001.

NEARING HOME: LIFE, FAITH, AND FINISHING WELL

Author: GRAHAM, BILLY, 1918-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73955

Narrator: DOWNER, PATRICK 1 cartridge in 1 container

Ninety-three-year-old evangelist, whose wife Ruth died in 2007, uses his personal experience of aging to illustrate ways to achieve spiritual growth while facing life's transitions. Discusses retirement, health, and grief and suggests viewing one's latter years from God's perspective. Bestseller. 2011.

NEVER GIVE UP: RELENTLESS DETERMINATION TO OVERCOME LIFE'S CHALLENGES

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 68923

Narrator: DUKIN, KERRY
1 cartridge in 1 container

Minister and author of I Dare You: Embrace Life with Passion (RC 66441) shares scripture and anecdotes encouraging readers to persevere amid challenges, pursue goals, and fulfill God's purpose for their lives. Profiles individuals who overcame obstacles to succeed, including Helen Keller and businessman James Cash Penney. 2008.

NINETY MINUTES IN HEAVEN: A TRUE STORY OF DEATH AND LIFE

Author: PIPER, DON

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DX 63761

Narrator: WALLACE, BILL
1 cartridge in 1 container

Texas Baptist minister recounts his 1989 near-fatal car accident when he was declared dead at the scene. Describes experiencing heaven and reuniting with deceased loved ones, and regaining consciousness after being prayed over by a fellow preacher. Discusses his painful rehabilitation and initial desire to return to paradise. Bestseller. 2004.

ONE MONTH TO LIVE: THIRTY DAYS TO A NO-REGRETS LIFE

Author: SHOOK, KERRY

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 67182

Narrator: WALLACE, BILL
1 cartridge in 1 container

Pastor and life coach Kerry Shook and his wife Chris, founders of Fellowship of the Woodlands church in Texas, offer advice on living a full life. They advocate asking and granting forgiveness, arranging priorities, and leaving a lasting legacy for one's family. Foreword by Rick Warren. 2008.

PEACE WITH GOD

Author: GRAHAM, BILLY, 1918-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 71233

Narrator: WALLACE, BILL 1 cartridge in 1 container

Minister Billy Graham revises and expands his statement of faith first published in 1953. It offers Graham's analysis of man's deepest longings and highest hopes and describes the path he has found to personal peace amid world crisis. 1991.

^{**}RC 23520 is a revision Rev. Graham published in 1984.

RADICAL: TAKING BACK YOUR FAITH FROM THE AMERICAN DREAM

Author: PLATT, DAVID

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 71419

Narrator: MOORE, BOB
1 cartridge in 1 container

David Platt--pastor of the Church at Brook Hills, a Birmingham, Alabama, megachurch--uses scripture to illustrate the differences between the gospels of Jesus and what Platt calls the American dream of materialism. Urges living one year in radical obedience to Christ and suggests five steps to do it. Bestseller. 2010.

REPOSITION YOURSELF: LIVING LIFE WITHOUT LIMITS

Author: JAKES, T. D.

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 65083

Narrator: MOORE, BOB
1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 65083

Narrator: MOORE, BOB
1 cartridge in 1 container

Bishop Jakes offers advice on how to succeed and prosper by reassessing one's life and positioning oneself for the future. Jakes uses scripture and personal experience to illustrate the connection between faith, good works, and responsibility. Foreword by Dr. Phil McGraw. Bestseller. 2007.

RESOLUTION FOR MEN

Author: KENDRICK, STEPHEN, 1973-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73757

Narrator: SARRIS, GEORGE W. 1 cartridge in 1 container

Authors of The Love Dare (DB 70078) use scripture to encourage men to take full physical, social, and spiritual responsibility as fathers and husbands. Companion to The Resolution for Women (DB 73760). Bestseller. Commercial audiobook. 2011.

**Additional authors: Alex Kendrick with Randy Alcorn.

RESOLUTION FOR WOMEN

Author: SHIRER, PRISCILLA EVANS

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73760

Narrator: SHIRER, PRISCILLA 1 cartridge in 1 container

Companion to The Resolution for Men (DB 73757) offers examples from life and scripture to encourage women to honor God and their families. 2011.

SALUTE TO SANDY

Author: ROGERS, DALE EVANS

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DT 03148

Narrator: MORRISON, ANN 1 cartridge in 1 container

Sandy was a battered child before being adopted by Roy Rogers and Dale Evans. He fought an uphill battle and while serving with the Army in Germany, he made a mistake and paid for it with his life.

This is his story but also the story of all the younger generation whose bravery and idealism in the face of handicaps, danger and death are the strength and hope of the future.

SEVEN THINGS THAT STEAL YOUR JOY: OVERCOMING THE OBSTACLES TO YOUR

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 58823

Narrator: MEYER, JOYCE 1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 58823

Narrator: MEYER, JOYCE 1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Happiness"

Christian radio and television host shares wisdom from scripture passages and her own ministry that has enabled her to find happiness, health, and strength in daily life. Offers advice to replace with God's truth and love such joy stealers as jealousy, discontentment, excessive reasoning, and anger. 2004.

TATTOOS ON THE HEART: THE POWER OF BOUNDLESS COMPASSION

Author: BOYLE, GREGORY S/P/V: Some profanity; Reading level: Adult

DB 70899

1 cartridge in 1 container

Jesuit priest recalls his experience working with gangs in Los Angeles County for more than two decades. Discusses ministering in jails and starting Homeboy Industries, a gang-intervention program that offers education, job training, tattoo removal, and employment. Includes spiritual reflections and vignettes of his clients. Some strong

language. Bestseller. 2010.

UNVEILING MARY MAGDALENE: DISCOVER THE TRUTH ABOUT A NOT-SO-BAD

GIRL

Author: HIGGS, LIZ CURTIS

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 73902

Narrator: MCCULLOUGH, J. MICHAEL

1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "of the Bible"

Author of the Bad Girls of the Bible series examines the life and character of Mary Magdalene. Combines a fictional account of a modern-day, mentally ill woman whose path to God resembles Mary's with a detailed study of relevant Bible verses. 2001.

Originally published under the title Mad Mary, c2001.

WHAT DIFFERENCE DO IT MAKE? STORIES OF HOPE AND HEALING

Author: HALL, RON

S/P/V: Some profanity; Some violence

Reading level: Adult

DT 07019

Narrator: THOMPSON, STACI 1 cartridge in 1 container

Using anecdotes and essays, "What Difference Do It Make?" beautifully showcases God's ability to work through even the most awkward and painful circumstances to bring forth amazing and redemptive changes. Deeply moving but never sappy or sentimental, it answers its own question with a simple and emphatic answer. What difference can one person (or two) make in the world? A lot! Some strong language, some violence. 2009.

YOUR BEST LIFE NOW: SEVEN STEPS TO LIVING AT YOUR FULL POTENTIAL

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 59330

Narrator: HAUENSTEIN, RICHARD

1 cartridge in 1 container

DX 59330

Narrator: HAUENSTEIN, RICHARD

1 cartridge in 1 container

Christian minister's advice on finding personal fulfillment. Discusses seven steps to produce change: enlarge your vision, develop a healthy self-image, discover the power of your thoughts and words, let go of the past, find strength through adversity, live to give, and choose to be happy. Bestseller. 2004.

SPANISH NON-FICTION

CADA DIA ES VIERNES: COMO SER MAS FELIZ SIETE DIAS POR SEMANA (EVERY

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 72984

Narrator: RAMIREZ, JUAN
1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Day a Friday: How to Be Happier Seven Days a

Week)"

Pastor Osteen discusses research showing that people are happiest on Fridays and suggests allowing joy to infuse every day by maintaining a positive outlook. Uses scripture and personal anecdotes to illustrate his principles for happiness. Bestseller. Spanish language. 2011.

MEJOR DE TI: SIETE PASOS PARA MEJORAR TU VIDA DIARA (BECOME A BETTER

Author: OSTEEN, JOEL

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 67988

Narrator: RAMIREZ, JUAN
1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "You)"

Pastor of Houston's Lakewood Church and author of Su Mejor Vida Ahora (RC 62961) offers advice on applying biblical principles to make positive changes in one's life. Advocates becoming more self-confident and developing better relationships and habits. Includes examples of transformation from his ministry. Spanish language. 2007.

ORACIONES PRIVADAS DEL PAPA JUAN PABLO II: UNA INVITACION A LA

Author: JOHN PAUL II, POPE

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DX 54968

Narrator: RAMIREZ, JUAN 1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Oracion (The Private Prayers of Pope John Paul II: An Invitation to Prayer)"

Pope John Paul II writes about the importance of praying and presents the petitions he has made through the two decades of his papacy. Includes supplications to God, Jesus, the Virgin Mary, and the Holy Spirit; and prayers for Christian unity, peace, and the family. Spanish language. 1999.

TIENES QUE ATREVERTE: ABRAZA LA VIDA CON PASION (I DARE YOU: EMBRACE

Author: MEYER, JOYCE, 1943-

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DB 67963

Narrator: PINO, MARIA 1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "Life with Passion)"

Radio and television minister offers advice for focusing one's energies to find purpose and motivation in life. Provides scripture and anecdotes to inspire readers to dream big, take responsibility, and avoid distractions such as worry and anger. Spanish language. 2008.

TRESCIENTOS SESENTA Y CINCO SANTOS: SU GUIA DIARIA DE MEDITACION

Author: KOENIG-BRICKER, WOODEENE

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

DX 65973

Narrator: PINO, MARIA
1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "(Three Hundred Sixty-five Saints: Your Daily

Meditation Guide)"

Collection of the wisdom of the saints, with each saint on the appropriate day of the year. Beginning with the Virgin Mary on January 1 and ending with Saint Sylvester on December 31, presents meditations and practical suggestions for emulating the saints in daily life. Spanish language. 1996.

VEN, SE MI LUZ: LAS CARTAS PRIVADAS DE LA "SANTA DE CALCUTA" (COME BE

Author: TERESA, MOTHER

S/P/V: None

Reading level: Adult

Series: PLANETA TESTIMONIO

DB 68958

Narrator: PINO, MARIA
1 cartridge in 1 container

TITLE CONTINUES: "My Light: The Private Writings of the "Saint of Calcutta")"

Compilation of Mother Teresa's letters written to her spiritual advisors during decades of missionary service. Reveals previously unknown aspects of her interior life, including periods of despair, as well as insight into her love for God and neighbor. Edited and commentary by Father Brian Kolodiejchuk. Spanish language. 2008.